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Applicant(s): Eisaku Suda et al.

Invention: CERIUM BASED COMPOSITE OXIDE, SINTERED PRODUCT THEREOF AND METHOD FOR PREPARATION THEREOF

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 2, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.